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12 Joseph H Wheeler,	1834	" "
13 Robert P Bibb, *	1836	Norfolk, Va.
14 Gaston Farrar, *	1836	Macon, Ga.
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16 Henry Gray, *	1838	Greensboro, N. C.
17 John Tillet,	1839	Salisbury, "
18 Washington S Chaffin,	1840	Mocksville, "
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20 Jeremiah Johnston,	1840	" "
21 T Page Ricaud,	1841	Norfolk, Virginia.
22 Solomon H Helsabeck,	1843	Halifax C. H., Virginia.
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28 Joseph B Martin, *	1845	" "
29 William H Bobbitt,	1846	Newberne, "
30 Linville L Hendren,	1848	Danville, Virginia.
31 Lingurn S Burkhead,	1849	Oxford, N. C.
32 Paul J Caraway,	1849	" "
33 John W North, *	1849	Camden, S. C.
34 Zebedee Rush,	1849	Oxford, N. C.
35 Henry H Gibbons,	1850	Warrenton, N. C.
36 Charles H Phillips,	1850	" "
37 George W Ivey,	1850	Wadesboro, "
38 Daniel May, *	1850	" "
39 Thomas W Guthrie,	1851	Salisbury, "
40 Hilary T Hudson,	1851	" "
41 Shockley D Adams,	1852	Louisburg, "
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44 James S Ervin,	1852	Sumter, South Carolina.
45 Isaac W Avent,	1853	Raleigh, N. C.
46 Samuel B Dozier, *	1853	" "
47 James E Mann,	1853	" "
48 John N Andrews, *	1854	Pittsboro, "
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53 William S Black,	1855	Marion, S. C.
54 James B Bobbitt,	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
55 Oscar J Brent,	1855	" "
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57 Moses J Hunt,	1855	" "
58 John W Puett,	1855	Marion, S. C.
59 Marcus C Thomas,	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
60 Joseph C Thomas, *	1855	" "
61 Thomas L Triplet, *	1855	" "
62 James W Wheeler,	1855	" "
63 Joseph Wheeler,	1855	" "
64 Marquis L Wood,	1855	" "
65 Robert G Barrett,	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
66 James B Bailey, *	1856	" "
67 Alexander D Betts,	1856	" "
68 William C Gannon,	1856	" "
69 Samuel V Hoyle,	1856	Lynchburg, Virginia
70 Adolphus W Mangum,	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
71 George E Wyche, *	1856	" "
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80 Thomas H Edwards,	1859	Greenville, S. C.
81 Peter L Herman,	1859	" "
82 R T N Stephenson,	1859	Beaufort, N. C.
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84 Franklin H Wood,	1859	" "
85 James D Carpenter,	1860	Columbia, S. C.
86 Thomas J Gattis,	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
87 William H Moore,	1860	" "
88 William M Robey,	1860	" "
89 Alexander R Raven,	1860	" "
90 John N Somers, *	1860	Asheville, "
91 Edwin A Yates,	1860	Salisbury, "
92 John D Buie, *	1862	Raleigh, "

93	John C Hartsell,	1862	Spartanburg, S. C.
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95	Geo F Round,	1863	" "
96	Charles C Dodson,	1863	Greensboro, N. C.
97	Martin V Sherrill,	1863	" "
98	William C Wilson,	1863	" "
99	J C Crisp,	1864	Newberry, S. C.
100	John E Thompson,	1865	Raleigh, N. C.
101	Hiram P Cole,	1866	Fayetteville, N. C.
102	Joseph R Griffith,	1866	Marion, S. C.
103	William H Call,	1867	Wilmington, N. C.
104	Squire M Davis, *	1867	Morganton, "
105	Maxwell H Hoyle,	1867	" "
106	Baxter C Phillips,	1867	Wilmington, "
107	Leonidas W Crawford,	1868	Statesville, "
108	John F Heitman, *	1869	Newberne, "
109	Edward Howland, *	1869	" "
110	James Mahoney,	1869	" "
111	Joseph J Renn,	1869	" "
112	Hugh F. Wiley,	1869	" "
113	James J Carden,	1869	" "
114	Augustus A Boshamer,	1870	Greensboro, "
115	Robert M Brown,	1870	" "
116	Lemuel H Gibbons,	1870	" "
117	Junius T Harris,	1870	" "
118	Andrew M Long,	1870	" "
119	William B Maness,	1870	" "
120	Frank L Reid,	1870	" "
121	James Wilson,	1871	Charlotte, "
122	Robah F Bumpass,	1871	" "
123	John T Bagwell,	1871	" "
124	Frederick D Swindell,	1871	" "
125	Jesse H Guinn,	1871	" "
126	Phillip Greening,	1871	" "
127	Thomas W Smith,	1871	Spartanburg, S. C.
128	William C Norman,	1872	Fayetteville, "
129	Jonathan Sanford,	1872	" "
130	Thomas A Coon,	1872	" "
131	Lucian J Holden,	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
132	Lucius E Stacey,	1873	" "
133	P F W Stamey,	1873	" "
134	Wm H Watkins,	1873	" "
135	Nicholas S Norton, *	1873	" "
136	James R Scroggs,	1873	" "
137	Christie A Gault,	1873	" "
138	Marcus W Boyles,	1873	" "
139	Nathaniel M Journey,	1874	Raleigh, "
140	Jeremiah F Craven,	1874	" "
141	Wm S Rone,	1874	" "

142 John T Gibbs,	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
143 James W Randall,	1874	" "
144 Leonidas L Nash,	1874	" "
145 James M Rhodes,	1875	Wilmington, "
146 Benjamin R Hall,	1875	" "
147 Jonathan B Carpenter,	1875	" "
148 Franklin A Bishop,	1876	Greensboro, "
149 Walter S Creasey,	1876	" "
150 Wm B Doub,	1876	" "
151 Elisha J Eudaily,	1876	" "
152 James T Lyon,	1876	" "
153 George W Hardison,	1876	" "
154 Thomas H Pegram,	1877	Salisbury, "
155 Nereus E Coletrane,	1877	" "
156 Joseph C Rowe,	1877	" "
157 Pinckney L Groom,	1877	" "
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164 Ludolphus E Thompson,	1878	Charlotte, "
165 Daniel L Earnhardt,	1878	" "
166 James E Bristow,	1878	" "
167 Matthew H Moore,	1878	" "
168 John N Cole,	1878	" "

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John F. Ross,

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M. O. Sherrill,
H. D. Lee,*
Lemuel J. Hoyle.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

L. Jackson Kiker,*
Wm J. Yates,
William R. Odell,
Robert H. Lentz.

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F E Asbury,
W. A. Webster,
E. J. Lilly.

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J. H. Barnes,
W. F. Kornegay,
Rev. J. B. Webb.*

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

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J. B. Mercer,*
R. E. Weathersbee,*
T. C. Williams.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.



FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1, 1880.

The Forty-Fourth Session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in the City of Winston, N. C., at 9 o'clock, A. M., December 1, 1880, Bishop J C Keener, President.

The Conference was opened with religious exercises, conducted by the Bishop.

By direction of the Bishop, the Secretary of the last Conference called the Clerical Roll of the Conference.

The Roll of Lay Delegates was then completed and called.

On motion of Dr. Wm. Closs, B. Craven was elected Secretary.

J. T. Harris was appointed Financial Secretary, and W. C. Gannon Secretary of Statistics.

On motion of P. J. Caraway it was ordered that the daily sessions of this Conference shall begin at 9 o'clock, A. M., and adjourn at 1 o'clock, P. M.

On motion of J. B. Bobbitt, the Bar of the Conference was fixed at the aisle even with the third window.

On motion of N. H. D. Wilson, W. H. Bobbitt, P. J. Caraway, T. H. Pegram, and J. W. Alspaugh were appointed a Committee on Divine Service.

On motion of D. R. Bruton, the Presiding Elders were appointed a Committee to Nominate the Regular Standing Committees.

A report from the South Georgia Conference, on the subject of Church Extension, was received and read, and was referred to a Special Committee, consisting of W. S. Black, D. R. Bruton, J. B. Bobbitt.

Dr. J. O. A. Clarke, of the South Georgia Conference, was introduced, and addressed the Conference on the interests of the Wesley Monumental Church at Savannah, Ga.

Question 6th was called,—"Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?"

Answer. None.

Reports from Dr. McFerrin, Agent of the Publishing House at

Nashville, Tenn., were read, and referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

A report from Dr. A. W. Wilson, Missionary Secretary, was received, read, and referred to the Board of Missions.

Dr. Closs, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, reported; and the report was adopted, as follows:

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Clerical.—W H Moore, H H Gibbons, J B Bobbitt, J J Renn, J W Wheeler, T W Guthrie, W M Robey, E A Yates, J A Cunningham, W C Gannon.

Lay.—L Branson, I N Mann, F C Robbins, A A Scroggs, Lemuel J Hoyle, W J Yates, W A Webster, W A Allen, Benjamin F Bell, J B Mercer.

COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Clerical.—R S Webb, T A Boone, J W Lewis, T A Coon, G W Ivey, O J Brent, H T Hudson, T P Ricaud, J T Bagwell, L L Nash.

Lay.—W C Doub, A G Headen, F C Robbins, J F Ross, R M Hoyle, W R Odell, E J Lilly, W M Parker, J H Barnes, B W Brown.

COMMITTEE ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

Clerical.—W C Norman, F H Wood, D R Bruton, J S Ervin, P F W Stamey, A A Boshamer, G F Round, J Sanford, W H Call, J M Rhodes.

Lay.—W F Green, S L Stevens, D E Field, J B Connelly, H D Lee, R H Lentz, F E Asbury, Jacob A Evans, W F Kornegay, R E Weathersby.

COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Clerical.—J T Gibbs, T J Gattis, T S Campbell, B R Hall, J W Jenkins, Max H Hoyle, L W Crawford, John Tillett, N M Journey, J R Griffith.

Lay.—W F Green, U M Wayhab, J M Ward, J B Connelly, H D Lee, W J Yates, W A Webster, W M Parker, J H Barnes, J B Mercer.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Clerical.—L J Holden, R A Willis, C C Dodson, Jas Wilson, J C Hartsell, R T N Stephenson, J J Carden, A D Betts, F D Swindell, W H Watkins.

Lay.—D W Bain, I N Mann, W A Woolen, A N Tomlin, M O Sherrill, L J Kiker, Lewis Phillips, A J Johnson, J B Webb, T C Williams.

COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS.

Clerical.—J W Lewis, J C Hartsell, J H Cordou.

Question 18 was taken up,—“Who are superannuated?”

R P Bibb, B T Blake, G E Wyche, W S Haltom, S B Dozier, John N Somers, G W Floyd, Henry Gray, W W Albea, E Howland, and J C Thomas passed the examination of character, and were placed in the superannuated relation.

J E Mann announced that Isham H Hill who had been in the superannuated relation, had died during the year.

Question 17 was called—“Who are supernumerary?”

G Farrar, J F Kerans, and T C Moses passed the examination of character, and were continued in the supernumerary relation.

Question 10 was taken up—“What local preachers are elected deacons?”

W F Needham, of Pilot Mountain Mission; Samuel C Pharr, of Tryon Street Church, Charlotte; Eli Crawford, of Montgomery Ct.; Pinckney L May, of Buckhorn Circuit; Wm H Puckett, of Jones Circuit; W H Hearn, of South Edgecombe Circuit; and Wm. Lowe, of Bath Circuit, local preachers of four years standing, having been recommended according to discipline, by the several Quarterly Conferences, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 14 was taken up—“What local preachers are elected elders?”

Isaac N Mann, of Haw River Circuit; Wm H Pegram, of Trinity Station; and John S Short, of Robersonville Mission, local deacons of four years standing, having been recommended by their several Quarterly Conferences, according to discipline, and having testified their belief in the doctrines and discipline of our Church, were elected to Elder's orders.

James M Waynick, an elder in the Methodist Protestant Church, having joined our Church, and having been recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Wentworth Circuit, as a suitable person to exercise the office of elder in our Church, and having testified his belief in our doctrines, discipline and ordination vows, was recognized as an elder.

Question 20 was called—“Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?”

The elders on the Hillsboro, Greensboro, and Fayetteville Districts, passed the usual examination of character.

L D Palmer, of Nashville, Tenn., was introduced. He addressed the Conference in the interests of the Publishing House in all its departments and publications.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.



S E C O N D D A Y.

THURSDAY, Dec, 2, 1880.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, Bishop Keener in the Chair; was opened with religious exercises conducted by Daniel Culbreth.

The Journal of the first day was read and approved.

A communication was received from the Trustees of Davenport Female College; it was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

Question 4th was taken up,—“Who are admitted into full connection?”

Ludolphus E. Thompson, Daniel L. Earnhardt, James E. Bristow, (Elder), Matthew H Moore, John N Cole, Samuel J. McLeod.

Thomas J. Browning passed the examination of character, but having failed to be examined, was continued in the second year.

Question 8th was called,—“What traveling preachers are elected deacons?”

L. E. Thompson, D. L. Earnhardt, Matthew H. Moore, John N. Cole, Samuel J. McLeod.

C. M. Pepper, T. C. Williams, J. H. Guinn, H. T. Hudson and A. R. Raven were appointed a Committee on Temperance.

Question 12th was taken up,—“What traveling preachers are elected elders?”

Wm. B. Doub, Franklin A Bishop, Jeremiah F Craven, Christie A. Gault.

Walter S. Creasy, and E. J. Eudaily passed the examination of character, and had already been ordained elders.

Nicholas S. Norton passed the examination of character, but failed to be examined, and was continued in the third year.

Rev. Wm Turner and Rev. M. Baldwin, ministers of the Baptist Church, and Rev J H Page of the Methodist Protestant Church, were introduced to the Conference.

Question 14th was again taken up,—“What local preachers are elected elders?”

Daniel E. Field.

Question 7th was called,—“Who are the deacons of one year?”

Joseph C. Rowe, Pinckney L. Groom, Jas. H. Cordon and Charles M. Gentry.

Question 2nd was taken up,—“Who remain on trial?”

Thomas A. Stone, James O. Guthrie, J. Edwin Thompson, Wm. I. Hull, F. L. Townsend, Francis B. McCall, Wm. L. Cunningsim, Joseph T. Arrington, W. J. Gay, Wm. S. Hales and Franklin J. Hoke, passed the examination of character, were approved by the Examining Committee, and were placed in the class of the second year.

Calvin G. Little and Samuel L. Douglas, passed the examination of character, and were approved by the Committee of Examination, except on two books each, on which they are required to stand next year.

John T. Finlayson, Daniel A. Watkins, Theodore P. Bonner and Joseph D. Arnold failed to be examined, and were continued in the class of the first year.

On motion of J. W. Lewis, Monday next at 11 o'clock, was set apart for Memorial Services for Bishop Doggett and the members of this Conference who have died this year.

W. C. Wolfe, of Monroe, proposed to publish the Minutes of this Session on the same conditions as heretofore, and on motion of B. Craven the proposition was accepted.

On motion of N. H. D. Wilson, the Bishop was requested to draw on the Treasurer of the Conference Trustees in favor of the Chairman of the Joint Board of Finance for \$400.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

T H I R D D A Y .

FRIDAY, Dec. 3, 1880.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, A. M., Bishop Keener in the Chair, and was opened with religious exercises conducted by J. W. Floyd.

The Journal of the second day was read and approved.

A report from Trinity College was received, read, and referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion of E. A. Yates, W. F. Kornegay was elected a Trustee of Trinity College.

A communication on Temperance, from Rutherford College, was received, and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Question 20 was called—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

All the elders in the remaining seven districts passed the examination of character.

When the name of F. L. Reid was called, Dr Wilson, Presiding Elder of the Raleigh District, announced that Dr. Wm. Closs had placed in his hands complaints against F. L. Reid. The Bishop appointed the following as a Committee of Investigation, viz: T. W. Guthrie, D. R. Bruton, T. A. Boon.

Question 18 was again taken up,—“Who are superannuated?”

Daniel Culbreth was placed in the superannuated relation at his own request.

Rev. Dr. Wiley, District Superintendent for the American Bible Society; Dr. Rondthaler, pastor of the Moravian Church in Salem; and Rev. F. H. Johnson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Winston, were introduced to the Conference.

When the name of J. P. Simpson was called, it was announced that he had withdrawn from our Church.

A report from Greensboro Female College was read by Dr. F. M. Jones, the President, and was referred to the Committee on Education.

The Committee on the Bible Cause presented and read their report.

Rev. Dr. Wiley then addressed the Conference on the work, importance and claims of the American Bible Society.

The report of the Committee was then amended, and adopted as follows:

THE COMMITTEE ON THE BIBLE CAUSE RESPECTFULLY REPORT:—

That in view of the recognized importance of the Bible Cause, and of the position of this Conference, and of our Church to it as a fundamental and cherished interest, there should be greater exertions by ministers and lay members of the Church in aid of the circulation of the Divine Word. And the Committee respectfully asks this Conference to recommend to our Church Conferences, the appointment in each congregation, of some suitable person—male or female—to search for and report destitutions, with a view to their supply.

Your Committee also recommend that each pastor be requested to present the Bible Cause in detail, once every year, to each Church under his care; and in this connection your Committee would express, with emphasis, their regret that so few of the preachers comply with the oft repeated desire of the Church, to take up, annually, a collection for this cause.

In conclusion, your Committee offer the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That this Conference cordially renews its commendation of the American Bible Society, and of its auxiliaries; that it rejoices to hear of its success, by the Divine favor, in the prosecution of its great aims, and regarding it as an invaluable aid in the work of the Church, again asks the co-operation with it, its auxiliaries and agents, of all our people.

Respectfully submitted:

J. T. GIBBS, Chairman.

A communication on the subject of Temperance was received from the Secretary of the Board of Missions of the Baptist Church. The communication was referred to the Committee on Temperance.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, December 4th, 1880.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, A. M., Bishop Keener in the Chair. Religious services by J. B. Alford.

The Journal of the third day was read and approved.

A communication from Rev. J. T. Zorn, Principal of Salem Female Academy, inviting the Conference to visit the Academy, was received and read.

On motion of B. Craven the invitation was accepted, and the time of the visit was fixed for this evening at 3 o'clock.

Rev. J. J. Lafferty of the Va. Conference and Rev. J. H. Jefferson, formerly a member of this Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

Question 3rd was taken up,—“Who are discontinued?”

On motion of W. H. Bobbitt, S. P. Douglas was discontinued at his own request.

Question 17 was called,—“Who are supernumerary?”

On motion of J. E. Mann, S. M. Davis was placed in the supernumerary relation.

Question 7 was again taken up.—“Who are the deacons of one year?”

Nereus E. Coltrane, Wm. P. McCorkle, George W. Hardison, Jonathan B. Carpenter and J. T. Lyon passed the examination of character, were approved by the Examining Committee, and were passed to the studies of the fourth year.

Rufus C. Beamod, A. P. Tyer and Nicholas S. Norton, passed the examination of character, but failed to be examined, and were continued in the studies of third year.

The Committee on Education presented their report No. 1, which was read and adopted as follows :

THE REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.—No. 1:—

The Committee on Education have had under consideration a paper referred to them by the Conference, from the Trustees of Davenport Female College, setting forth, in substance, the following facts, to-wit:

That the action of the last Conference authorizing said Trustees to dispose of the property to a Joint Stock Company, could not be complied with, for the reason that the Deed vesting the title of said property in the Conference, for the benefit of the Church, expressly provides that it shall never be alienated from this Conference ownership. Also, asking the Conference to assist the Board of Trustees to the amount of \$2,500 to complete the College building burnt a few years ago, and now in process of re-construction.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the action of last Conference in this regard be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

Your Committee take pleasure in saying, as expressing the sentiments of this Conference, that we heartily sympathize with the Trustees and friends of Davenport Female College, in their efforts to have a good school in their midst; and sincerely regret that at the present we are not in a condition to render them the desired aid. They have struggled under difficulties, and have deserved success, while we have been compelled, by our peculiar circumstances, to stand by and witness their efforts without the means of rendering efficient assistance. We trust the day is not far distant when we can give to Davenport Female College, and all our institutions of learning, something more and better than our good wishes. Respectfully submitted:

E. A. YATES, Chairman.

The Committee on Sunday Schools submitted their report. The report was adopted as follows:

THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS BEG LEAVE TO REPORT:—

We recognize the Sunday School as one of the great auxiliaries of the Christian Church. It may justly be considered as a large factor in the religious work of the age. A hundred years ago, it was not so. It is hard to realize that this grand movement, with its millions of ardent followers, and vast outlay of expenditure, is of such recent origin.

The year 1880 is memorable, as being the Centennial of Sunday Schools. In just respect to this fact, an International Convention has been held in London, made up of delegates from all denominations in all parts of the world. This Convention gave a fresh and strong impulse to the special work that called them together, and was characterized throughout by great catholicity of spirit, and brotherly love, that culminated in a delightful communion meeting, held in the Metropolitan Tabernacle—Mr. Spurgeon's church.

We desire to impress each member of this Conference with his obligation to work heartily and efficiently in this promising field.

Some of our schools are doing all that could be expected while many others are lagging behind, and afford vast room for improvement. The minister or layman, who pays special attention to Sabbath Schools, and who labors to build up this enterprise, is sowing seeds that will produce a sure harvest in the immediate future, and is laying a broader and stronger foundation for the prosperity of our Zion, when he shall have passed away.—The main work of those who love Jesus is to save souls, and he who labors intelligently and prayerfully in training children for God, will realize great success, and secure His approbation who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me," while on the other hand, he that neglects this work or remands it entirely to others, will have to answer to a fearful account in the Great Day.

It is a fact to be deplored that so many Christian men and women do not attend the Sunday School. All who can do so, ought to be enrolled as members of the school, and as teachers or students in Bible classes, co-operate in the work. The Sunday School is not an unimportant thing—for children merely—as some would have it; but demands the presence and prayerful help of every Christian who can jointly attend. What a glorious sight if it could be so, to see the Church of Jesus Christ throughout the world, every Sabbath assembled, the aged and the young, to receive instruction in Bible truth. This country is full of men, women, and children that never darken the door of a Sunday School.

Let us labor to bring them in, and perhaps a song, or prayer, or some precious truth gathered from the lesson may be the entering wedge that shall separate them from a life of sin, and save them at last in Heaven.

We are glad to know that in some of our schools, Children's Missionary Societies are formed, and the little ones are trained in the blessed work of contributing to Foreign Missions. We call special attention to the fact that all needed helps for this work are furnished by our Publishing House at Nashville, and would commend the Sunday School Magazine, "Lesson Quarterly," "S. S. Visitor," "Our Little People," and the "Infant Class" as being specially adapted to the wants of our people. "The Gem," "Amaranth," and "New Life" are song books full of beautiful music, and should be introduced in all our schools.

Brethren, let us not be discouraged in our work. There is much to make our hearts sing for joy when we review this field of Christian effort, the millions who have been saved by the Sunday School, and then think of the proportions this work will assume a hundred years to come, and let us to day, as Christian men, resolve, by the help of God, to labor as we never have before, to bring all the children to Christ; and in the language of Dr. Punshon, in his eloquent speech at the London Centenary: "Let us go on and on through the bright succession of the suns, till they who have sown the seed shall reap the corn, and having reaped and garnered, bring the plow, and draw new furrows 'neath the healthy morn, and plant the bright hereafter in the now."

We recommend that the pastors and superintendents be instructed to use our Catechisms regularly in all our Schools.
GEO. F. ROUND, Chairman.

The following resolutions were adopted :

WHEREAS, brethren Henry and E. J. Lilly, members of the Hay St. M. E. C. South, Fayetteville, have during the current year built a most attractive and comfortable Sunday School Chapel, at a cost of \$2400, and presented the same to our Conference;

Therefore Resolved, That the thanks of this body are due, and are hereby tendered to these brethren beloved, for this practical exhibition of liberality and substantial expression of devotion to the great interest of the Church.

L. W. CRAWFORD.
J. A. CUNNINGGIM.
L. S. HENDREN.

Rev. Dr. Lafferty, editor of the *Richmond Christian Advocate*, then addressed the Conference on the Southern Pulpit, the *Richmond Christian Advocate*, and Methodist Education in Virginia and North Carolina.

Rev. John W. Wellons, D. D., fraternal messenger from the North Carolina and Virginia Christian Conference, was introduced, and addressed the Conference with a kindly, christian greeting.

The Advisory Committee on the debt of Trinity College, submitted their report, which was adopted as follows :

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:—

Your Committee hereby announce that an ample sufficiency has been secured in money, bonds and pledges to liquidate the entire indebtedness of Trinity College; and therefore request that payment be made on said bonds and pledges as early as possible. For the information of the Conference, the Committee will state that Dr. J. B. Bobbitt, the regularly appointed Conference Agent, has raised the following:

Cash.....	\$5,465 51.
Bonds and Pledges.....	5,765 05.
* Total.....	\$11,230 56.
Dr. B. Craven has raised during the year—	
Cash, and Bonds and Pledges.....	3,250 00.

Total.....\$14,480 56.

Your Committee furthermore resolved that Dr. J. B. Bobbitt be requested to collect the Bonds and Pledges secured by him; that Dr. B. Craven collect the Bonds and Pledges he secured; and that the old Bonds and Pledges be divided and collected by them, as they may determine. And that the money thus collected by Dr.'s Bobbitt and Craven with cash now in hand, shall be paid into the hands of Robert T. Gray, Esq., of Raleigh, appointed Treasurer of the Advisory Committee, whose duty it shall be to pay out said money under the order of said Committee.

RESOLVED, That the most cordial thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby ten-

dered to Dr. J. B. Bobbitt, for the grand work which he has achieved by his financial skill and indomitable perseverance.

Respectfully submitted:

L. S. BURKHEAD.

E. A. YATES.

J. S. CARR.

H. T. HUDSON, Chairman.

WM. CLOSS.

B. CRAVEN.

The Committee on Temperance read their report, and after full discussion, was adopted as follows:

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE, BEG LEAVE TO REPORT THE FOLLOWING:—

WHEREAS, The sale of alcoholic liquors, as a beverage, is not, in any sense, necessary to the well-being of society, but is on the contrary, productive of a great deal of moral and social evil; educating the youth of our land down to drunkenness and other vices; producing poverty and crime throughout the country, and such moral obliquity as greatly retards the progress of the cause of Christ.

And Whereas, moral suasion is inadequate to the removal of this incubus from society, because there are those in every community who will visit the open saloon, and induce others to do likewise, thereby perpetuating patronage and consequently the traffic.

And Whereas, legal prohibition is being resorted to in other States and in portions of this, and is found to be the most effective means that has ever been adopted for the extirpation of intemperance; Therefore,

RESOLVED 1. That we, the North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in annual session assembled, do hereby respectfully memorialize the Legislature of North Carolina, at its next session, to enact a law prohibiting both the manufacture and the sale of alcoholic liquors as a beverage, within the bounds of this State.

2. That we, the members of this Conference, do pledge ourselves, to use all proper efforts to circulate petitions, and procure signers to the same, said petitions to be forwarded to some person to be designated by this body, whose duty it shall be to present them, together with a certified copy of this action, to the Legislature aforesaid.

A. R. RAVEN.

J. H. GUINN.

H. T. HUDSON.

C. M. PEPPER, Chairman.

B. CRAVEN,

T. C. WILLIAMS.

On motion of C. M. Pepper, T. C. Williams was appointed to receive the petitions and memorials on Temperance, and present them to the Legislature.

Rev. J. J. Ransom, Missionary to Brazil, was introduced, and addressed the Conference in the interest of that Mission. A collection was taken, which amounted to \$385.50 in pledges and cash.

Leave of absence was granted to M. O. Sherrill, J. B. Connelly and R. H. Lentz.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

F I F T H D A Y .

MONDAY, December 6, 1880.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, A. M., Bishop Keener in the chair, and was opened with religious services by T. H. Edwards.

The Journal of the fourth day was read and approved.

Rev. C. L. Rights, a minister of the Moravian Church, was introduced to the Conference.

By vote of the Conference, Rev. S. C. Pharr was recognized as a deacon in our Church.

A communication from the State Sunday School Association was received, read, and referred to the Committee on Sunday Schools.

Question 1st was called.—

John W. Jones, of Happy Home Circuit; Robert L. Warlick, of Morganton; Wm. B. North, of Laurinburg Circuit; James T. Kendall, of Whiteville Circuit; Wm. H. Puckett, of Jones Circuit; and Walter T. Cutchen, of East Halifax Circuit, were received on trial.

Question 9th was called,—“What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?”

ANS. L. E. Thompson, D. L. Earnhardt, Matthew H. Moore, John N. Cole, Samuel J. McLeod.

Question 11, was taken up.—“What local preachers are ordained deacons?”

ANS. Eli Craven, P. J. Ray, Wm. H. Puckett, B. H. Hearn, J. J. Setliff.

Question 13 was taken up,—“What traveling preachers are ordained Elders?”

ANS. Wm. B. Doub, Frank A. Bishop, J. F. Craven, Christie A. Gault.

Question 15 was called,—“What local preachers are ordained Elders?”

ANS. I. N. Mann, Wm. H. Pegram, D. E. Field, W. F. Needham.

The following resolution was adopted:

We, the undersigned, under-graduates of the N. C. Conference, respectfully request that Rev. J. T. Harris be appointed to preach a sermon on Friday evening of the next Session of this Annual Conference, to the under-graduates.

J. B. CARPENTER.

J. C. ROWE.

J. T. LYON.

F. J. HOKE.

C. G. LITTLE.

J. O. GUTHRIE.

The special Committee on Church Extension reported, and their report was adopted as follows :

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION:—

The committee to whom was referred a paper from the South Georgia Annual Conference, on Church Extension, have carefully considered the same, and beg leave to submit it as their report.

W. S. BLACK, Chairman.

SOUTH GEORGIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, Perry, Ga., Dec. 15th, 1879.

The Committee on Church Extension, appointed at the last Annual Conference, beg leave to submit the following report:

Your Committee is profoundly impressed that some movement, looking to Church Extension, ought to be inaugurated by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Such a movement has been put into successful and practical operation by several other Evangelical Churches, and notably by the Wesleyans of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Methodist Episcopal Church of these United States. By Church Extension Societies, they have aided weak Churches to build houses of worship adapted to the wants of the places where they were respectively located, and have builded others where they were greatly needed and the people too poor to build for themselves. In this way Churches, Methodist and others,

who have tried the plan, have greatly enlarged their borders, and strengthened themselves in communities where they respectively needed strengthening. We are satisfied that much has been lost to our Church because a similar plan has not been adopted by us.

But something in this direction has been done by our Church in our missionary fields, and, as we are told, with good results. Our Mission Board has expended money in building houses of worship where it has established missions. In this way, it is claimed, whatever has been given was wisely appropriated. Indeed, the houses of worship which we have erected in our mission fields were absolutely essential to success.

Now, the same kind of aid which has effected so much in our missions proper will do much to build up our Church in other places not properly missionary ground. Besides, too, such aid is especially needed in our own borders, where thousands have already been expended, and thousands more will be expended to strengthen those who are seeking to supplant us. If we awake to the dangers which threaten us, we will awake to the importance of helping our weak and building up our waste places.

By this means, we not only strengthen ourselves against encroachment upon our work at home, but enable our Mission Board to send more laborers into our missions abroad. For, if money raised for Church extension be money raised for aiding the building of mission Churches abroad, as well as weak Churches at home, much will be saved to our Mission Board that may be appropriated to the support of more laborers "in the regions beyond."

Your Committee is persuaded that this will be the result. We are convinced that a Church extension movement will not diminish our missionary collections. We believe that, in a very short time, our missionary collections will be largely increased by the Church extension movement. For this movement will soon increase the number of self-sustaining Churches at home—Churches not only able to support themselves, but to give to the cause of missions. This result we believe, has been witnessed wherever the Church extension plan has been employed. The Church extension policy of the Wesleyans and the Northern Methodists has not taken a dime from their respective missions. Where the most has been contributed for Church extension, there the most has been given for missionary purposes.

Your Committee, however, after careful consideration of the subject submitted to us, does not deem it advisable to recommend any plan of Church extension for our adoption at this time. But while this is so, we do earnestly advise that the initial step in this movement, be taken by the adoption of this report, in hope that, if adopted by this Conference, the attention of our sister Conferences and our next General Conference will be called to it.

All of which is respectfully submitted: J. O. A. CLARK, CHAIRMAN.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a Committee of five lay and five clerical members of our Church, be appointed to consider and report at next Conference, some plan by which our ministers, who, by long service in the Conference, have become inefficient, may be better provided for and rendered comfortable when age or infirmities rest heavily upon them.

L. L. HENDREN.

R. O. BURTON.

WILL C. DOUB.

The Committee of Investigation, in the complaint of Wm. Closs against F. L. Reid, submitted their report, which was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE:—

The Committee to whom was referred the complaint of the Rev. Wm. Closs, D. D., against the Rev. Frank L. Reid—both being members of this Conference—have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to submit the following as their Report:

The Complaint of Dr. Closs against Bro. Reid was of such a grave character, the Committee at once determined to give the matter as thorough, and as impartial an investigation as was in their power to do.

The accuser and the accused, with several witnesses on each side, and documents to the number of nearly 40, were before the Committee for at least ten hours, and the investigation was permitted to take a very wide range, so as to elucidate every feature of the case, and then the parties were allowed full time to array their testimony and bring from it every shade of meaning possible. Your Committee then took the case, and after a prayerful and careful deliberation, reached the unanimous conclusion that there was not the slightest ground whatever upon which they could found a bill of charges against the Rev. Frank L. Reid—the accused. They therefore take the greatest pleasure in moving that his character be now passed.

DAVID R. BRUTON,
THOMAS W. GUTHRIE, } COMMITTEE.
T. A. BOONE,

F. L. Reid then passed the annual examination of character.

The following resolutions were adopted :

The Conference Board of Missions passed the following resolutions :

Resolved, That each Missionary in charge of a Mission in this Conference, shall be required to make a written report to this Board on the first day of the Conference, of all matters of material interest to his Mission.

Resolved, That this resolution be read in open Conference, and published in the Minutes.

Question 30, was called.—“ Where shall the next Session of the Conference be held ? ”

Durham and Raleigh were nominated. Durham was selected.

The Committee on Education presented their report, No. 2, which was adopted as follows :

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION—No. 2:—

TRINITY.

Your Committee ask leave to say, that the report of the President of Trinity College shows that Institution to be in a fair state of prosperity. There is no sufficient reason as to why the only Male College belonging to us, in the State, should not be, in all its appointments, first-class. Doubtless, the pecuniary difficulties which have, for years, environed the Institution, may be chargeable with much of its slow and unsatisfactory advancement. But we rejoice with the Conference and the Church in North Carolina that, by the labor and management of Dr. Bobbitt, the Agent during the past year, means have been provided for the payment of the debt; and we hope and believe that a better day has not dawned, but is well on in its brightness, when the College shall rise to the full measure of its strength in spreading sanctified education over these lands.

GREENSBORO COLLEGE.

Your Committee have had, with regard to Greensboro College, but little light or facts to make their report more than a mere formality. The annual report of the President, Dr. Jones, exhibits the gratifying fact that the present session of the Institution is a decided success—better than for many years; and doubtless, if the terrible incubus of debt could be removed from the College, it would, under the splendid scholarship and management of Dr. Jones and his very able faculty, spring forward in a career of usefulness that would gladden the hearts of the Church, and all the friends of female education.

Your Committee suggest that the following be, and are hereby appointed an Advisory Committee to act in concert with the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, in devising some way of saving the College to the Church, to-wit: F. O. Robbins, W. F. Korney, J. S. Carr, J. B. Bobbitt, and E. A. Yates.

Respectfully submitted

E. A. YATES, Chairman.

The report of the Joint Board of Finance was adopted as follows, and the money was distributed in open Conference.

REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

BISHOP'S SALARY.

Whole amount assessed,.....\$1,400.00

	<i>Assessed.</i>	<i>Paid.</i>
Raleigh District.....	\$ 160.00	161.75
Hillsboro District.....	150.00	156.08
Greensboro District.....	140.00	137.50
Salisbury District.....	120.00	117.50
Shelby District.....	120.00	111.20
Charlotte District.....	145.00	152.00
Fayetteville District.....	150.00	150.00
Wilmington District.....	120.00	121.30
New Berne District.....	150.00	150.19
Washington District.....	145.00	141.10
From Treasurer.....		1.38
Total.....	<u>\$ 1,400.00</u>	<u>1,400.00</u>
Paid to Bishop Keener.....		<u>\$1,400.00</u>

The Board recommend that the Conference raise for the next year for the Bishop's Salary fourteen hundred dollars, and that it be apportioned as follows :

Raleigh District.....	\$120.00	Charlotte District.....	\$120.00
Hillsboro District.....	120.00	Fayetteville District.....	120.00
Greensboro District.....	120.00	Wilmington District.....	120.00
Salisbury District.....	120.00	New Berne District.....	120.00
Statesville District.....	120.00	Washington District.....	120.00
Shelby District.....	120.00	Warrenton District .. .	120.00

CONFERENCE FUND.

	<i>Assessed.</i>	<i>Paid.</i>
Raleigh District.....	\$ 671.00	\$ 593.11
Hillsboro District.....	659.00	498.83
Greensboro District.....	601.00	387.36
Salisbury District.....	578.00	373.05
Shelby District.....	578.00	309.50
Charlotte District.....	601.00	566.47
Fayetteville District.....	578.00	445.43
Wilmington District.....	578.00	372.39
New Berne District.....	578.00	481.18
Washington District.....	578.00	486.82
Trustees of N. C. Conference.....		400.00
J. S. Carr to Joint Board of Finance.....		110.50
Total.....	<u>\$6,000.00</u>	<u>\$5,017.64</u>

DISTRIBUTION.

Mrs L J McIntosh and one child.....	\$ 150.00	Mrs Sarah Gattis.....	125.00
Mrs P E Speck.....	150.00	Mrs W D Meacham and children.....	150.00
Mrs E M McDaniel.....	125.00	Mrs A H Tucker.....	25.00
Mrs M F Robbins and children.....	75.00	Rev H Gray, wife and 3 children.....	450.00
Rev S B Dozier and wife.....	300.00	Mrs C C Parsons.....	—
Mrs James Reid.....	—	Mrs Lavenia McPherson.....	100.00
Mrs D W Doub.....	50.00	Mrs F I Tinnen.....	75.00
Mrs Wm Anderson.....	50.00	Mrs D C Johnson and 4 children.....	350.00
Mrs F C Freeman.....	100.00	Rev B T Blake.....	100.00
Mrs E J W Pervis.....	75.00	Mrs N F Reid and 3 children.....	250.00
Mrs J B Miller.....	125.00	Mrs M Langdon.....	100.00
Mrs W F Clegg and children.....	225.00	Rev W A Smith's 2 children.....	125.00
Mrs F M Bumpass.....	100.00	Mrs W M D Moore.....	100.00
Mrs M R Smith.....	50.00	Mrs Thompson Gerrard.....	40.00
Rev C W King.....	75.00	Rev J N Somers.....	50.00
Rev W W Albea.....	75.00	Rev W S Haltoun.....	75.00
Rev R P Bibb and children.....	300.00	Mrs E W Thompson.....	75.00
Mrs Sallie Maynard.....	—	Mrs Maria Hill.....	—
Mrs Mary Rich.....	25.00	Mrs T P England.....	50.00
Mrs A St Clair.....	75.00	Rev E Howland.....	175.00
Mrs E C Land and four children.....	250.00	Mrs James Stacey.....	—
Rev John W Floyd and wife.....	250.00	Child of Rev E A Leonard.....	—
		In hands of Treasurer.....	77.65

The Board recommend that the Conference raise for the next year for the Conference Fund, six thousand dollars, and that it be apportioned as follows :

Raleigh District.....	\$ 500.00
Hillsboro District.....	500.00
Greensboro District.....	500.00
Salisbury District.....	500.00
Statesville District.....	500.00
Shelby District.....	500.00
Charlotte District.....	500.00
Fayetteville District.....	500.00
Wilmington District.....	500.00
New Berne District.....	500.00
Washington District.....	500.00
Warrenton District.....	500.00

Total.....\$6,000.00

Respectfully submitted: J. A. CUNNINGHAM, Ch'm'n.

The Committee on Books and Periodicals reported, and the report was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS:—

Your Committee have carefully considered the interests referred to them, and beg leave to submit the following Report:

RESOLVED, 1. That we are gratified to learn from the report of the Publishing House, submitted for our consideration by the Agent, Dr. J. B. McFerrin, and approved by the Book Committee, that the plan adopted by the late General Conference, is so successful.

That the business of the House has so increased, as not only to meet all current expenses, keeping building and machinery repaired, increasing the insurance, but to furnish in cash \$25,000 toward meeting former debts.

2nd. That the success of the past year ought to so inspire the hope of the Church as to cause every pledge to the 4 per cent. Bonds soon to be met.

3rd. That we increase the patronage of the House by disseminating more extensively its excellent literature, contained both in books and periodicals.

4th. That we call especial attention to the Sunday School periodicals so ably edited and so beautifully printed.

The Nashville Advocate, the organ of the General Conference, edited by Dr O. P. Fitzgerald, that is so popular wherever introduced, and is doing so much to tone up the spiritual and temporal interests of the Church.

The Advocate of Missions, the organ of the Missionary Board, edited by the Missionary Secretary, Dr. A. W. Wilson, and The Woman's Missionary Advocate, the organ of the Woman's Missionary Society, edited by Mrs. Frank A. Butler, are happy accessions to the Advocate family, and are reaching the heads, the hearts, and the purses of the Church, to such an extent that we may hope for a brighter future.

The Quarterly Review, edited by Dr. T. O. Summers, and published by a Committee of the General Conference, meets a demand for the more cultivated, and ought to be read by all those who are seeking a higher culture in the literature of the Church.

RESOLVED, 1st. That we are gratified at the improvement made in the Raleigh Christian Advocate during the past year, and are happy to learn from a communication laid before us by its Editors, that its circulation has increased, and with their renewed pledges made through us to the Church, that they will continue their efforts to make it still more worthy of the confidence and support of the Church in North Carolina, that we most heartily endorse and continue it as the organ of our Conference.

2nd. That we do more to develop the talent of the Church, in writing for our paper, and circulating it among our people.

3rd. That we request the Bishop to re-appoint the Rev. W. S. Black and Rev. F. L. Reid as Editors of the Raleigh Christian Advocate.

RESOLVED, That Dr. H. T. Hudson be appointed to draft a memorial to the next Legislature to repeal the law of the last Legislature imposing a tax upon the sale of religious books.

L. L. NASH, Secretary.

R. S. WEBB, Chairman.

J. J. Renn was appointed Conference Sunday School Secretary.

The Committee on Church Property presented the following report, and the report was adopted.

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY, BEG TO REPORT THE FOLLOWING:—

We are gratified to find a large increase in the amount raised for building and repairing Churches. Raised in 1879, \$37,628.74. Raised in 1880, \$63,686.21, showing an increase of \$26,057.47.

From the reports made to this Conference, there seems to be a decided improvement in the style and quality of Church buildings.

We are glad to report that our people are waking up to the importance of having large and comfortable Churches, so that Divine worship and Sunday Schools may be continued during the whole year; and your Committee would respectfully urge upon preachers and people, as soon as possible, to finish all Churches on their several charges. And we would respectfully suggest that no Church ought to be dedicated until it is ceiled, or plastered, painted and paid for.

We find that in 1879, there were 762 Churches. We have now 783, showing an increase of 21. While we find some increase, still there are a large number of charges without parsonages; we would, therefore, respectfully urge both preachers, and people to see to it that every charge has a comfortable and convenient parsonage, and as far as practical, to have with it three or four acres of land. Therefore:

RESOLVED, That all pastors keep these important interests before their people, and take such steps as will accomplish the same.

Respectfully submitted:

J. J. CARDEN, Chairman.

The hour having arrived for the Memorial Services, the exercises were introduced by reading the Scriptures and singing, conducted by the Bishop. The Bishop and several members of the Conference made remarks touching the life, character, services and death of Bishop David S. Doggett.

The following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, it has pleased God to remove by death from the Church below to the Church in Heaven, that eminent servant of God, Rev. David S. Doggett, Bishop of the M. E. Church, South; we do hereby express our admiration for his talents, and usefulness, and deep piety, and a sense of the great loss to our Church.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the wife and family of the late Bishop Doggett, also tendering the sympathy of this Conference.

R. O. BURTON,
B. CRAVEN.

The following Memoirs were then read, and after many touching remarks by the brethren, were adopted .

In Memoriam.

REV. ISHAM H. HILL.

Rev. Isham H. Hill, son of the Rev. Micajah Hill, was born in Randolph county, N. C., in the year 1823, and joined the North Carolina Conference at Raleigh, A. D., 1853. He filled the following appointments, to wit: Montgomery, Straits, Portsmouth, Ocracoke and Hatteras, Neuse, Trent, Beaufort Station, Swift Creek Mission, Mattamuskeet, Topsail, Uwharrie, and Frankville, when he was returned to Mattamuskeet. While on this Circuit his health failed, and at the ensuing annual Conference he was placed on the supernumerary list. For a number of years he sustained this relation to the Conference, but his health growing worse, he was superannuated by the Conference at its session in Salisbury, N. C., in the year 1877.

Bro. Hill was happily married to Miss Eugenia Wahab, of Hyde county, in 1859, who, with a married daughter, survives him. He was a good man, and most appreciated by those who knew him best. He closed a life of usefulness and suffering on the 7th day of May, 1880, at his home near Sladesville, N. C. He displayed very great patience and resignation during his last illness, and died confidently assuring his friends of his readiness, through Grace, for the home of the blest in Heaven.

REV. WM. D. LEE, M. D.

Rev. Wm. D. Lee, M. D., was born in Union county, S. C., Nov. 17, 1833; joined the M. E. Church, South, in 1851; obtained religion 1854; was licensed to preach in 1864, and joined the S. C. Conference at Cheraw, 1869; was transferred to the N. C. Conference in 1870, in which he remained, a faithful, earnest, and useful minister of Jesus Christ, till his death, which occurred in Shelby, N. C., September 20th, 1880. In 1870, he was appointed to Lincolnton Circuit; 1871, and '72, Rutherford; 1873-'74-'75 and '76, Pineville; 1877, he was supernumerary; in '78, he was appointed to Concord Circuit; 1879, to Shelby and Kings Mountain, where he labored faithfully till about the first of September, when he was taken sick, from which he lingered about two weeks, and passed over the river, to join the ransomed gone before. His reason, at times, was entirely dethroned, for several days previous to his death; yet in his lucid moments, he gave unmistakable evidence of his strong faith in God; would get happy, and shout God's praises. In the family, he was firm and affectionate; in the social circle, genial and pleasant; in the pulpit, faithful and efficient; in all the relations of life, he was possessed of the deepest humility. He had a poor opinion of himself, yet he was a great man. In fact, Dr. Lee was no ordinary man, for he was full of power, and the Holy Ghost; an excellent preacher, his preparations for the pulpit were thorough. He analyzed, compared and expounded Scriptural truth, as if always impressed with the divine injunction: "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth;" consequently, he gave each their portion in due season. In his pulpit efforts he labored not to tickle the ear, or please the fancy, with high sounding words or rhetorical flourish, falling like the perfect concord of harp strings, softly touched with delicate fingers;—but in obedience to the divine command, with clear conceptions of Divine Truth, and aided by the Divine Spirit, he unsheathed the sword, and lifting it in the face of the enemies of the Cross, demanded their surrender in the name of his Master, and "praying them in Christ stead be ye reconciled to God." Some of his last sermons were, perhaps, the most powerful of his life, for they left their impress upon many hearts and minds. His heart was in the work; he loved to tell of Gethsemane's Garden, and a Saviour's Cross; a bleeding victim, and a risen Prince; of consequent death, and a vacant grave; of a victor's wreath, and a monarch's crown, worn by ransomed Spirits in that Heavenly land. Like the great Apostle, he gloried in nothing, save in the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. He had a desire to go fresh from the field of conflict

to glory when his earthly pilgrimage ended, and so he did. Only two weeks before his death, he preached his last sermon at Kings Mountain, and while proclaiming the Truth of the Gospel, from his favorite text, "For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain," he became very happy, and appeared to stand just between two worlds, with his face lit up with a Heavenly smile, as if to say, like St. Paul, "I am in a strait betwixt two, having a desire to depart and be with Christ." No doubt then he realized more than a mere foretaste of Heavenly joys, as he was standing so near the Pearly Gate of the Eternal City, and almost in hearing of the rippling of the crystal stream, and the melody of Angel harp-strings, softly touched with Heavenly fingers. Hearing him shout God's praises then, was akin to hearing Angels whisper, and seeing his face while in such ecstatic joy, was like catching a glimpse inside the veil and beholding the scenes that enrapture immortal vision.

But, Dr. Wm. D. Lee is gone—

"The voice at midnight came; he started up to hear;

A mortal arrow pierced his frame: he fell; but felt no fear."

REV. IRA T. WYCHE.

Rev. Ira T. Wyche, the subject of this sketch, was born in Brunswick County, Va., in the year 1816, and died at LaGrange, N. C., in the month of October, 1880, and was sixty-four years old.

His parents, James and Amelia Wyche, were both members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and trained up their children in the fear of God. They removed to North Carolina and settled in Granville County, where they raised up a numerous family of children.

The religious training of Ira T. Wyche, led him, in early life, to embrace religion and join the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was blessed with the advantages of a liberal education, and while young his mind was deeply, impressed that it was his duty to preach the Gospel.

At the age of twenty-one years, he entered the traveling connection of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was received into the North Carolina Conference on probation at its first session, which was held in the town of Greensboro, N. C., in the year 1838. He stood his annual examination four years, with credit to himself, and became a full member of the Conference. Bro. Wyche was acceptable and useful in his various fields of labor as a pastor, and also as a minister of the Gospel; he had many seals to his ministry. He traveled circuits, filled stations, was Presiding Elder for several years, and was, at one time,

Agent for the American Bible Society; he was also Secretary of the Conference for several years, and in all these relations he was acceptable and useful; he was literally a man of one work, and that work was to do good, and to save souls.

At a suitable age he was happily married to Miss Martha Pierce, of Halifax County, N. C., an amiable Christian lady. After the year 1850, he filled the following appointments, viz: New Berne Station, 1 year; Person Circuit, 2 years; Rockingham Circuit, 1 year; Presiding Elder on the New Berne District, 4 years; on the Washington District, 4 years; on the Salisbury District, 4 years; Henderson Circuit, 2 years; Forsythe Circuit, 1 year; Bible Agent, 2 years; Roanoke Circuit, 2 years; Robeson Circuit, 2 years; and Albemarle Circuit, 2 years.

At the N. C. Conference, held last year, in the town of Wilson, N. C., he was appointed to LaGrange Circuit. On this charge he labored in feeble health, until the month of October, when his trials on earth were suddenly ended by death.

He retired to bed in usual health, and on retiring, remarked to his wife, "that he would have a comfortable night's rest;" but he was found dead the next morning! having slept the sleep of death.

Thus passed away from the toils of earth, to the joys of Heaven, a good, and holy man. He was a faithful pastor, a good preacher, and an able expounder of the Holy Scriptures. He went in and out before his brethren of the N. C. Conference for the space of forty-three years—his character was unblemished. He leaves a bereaved widow and children, and his brethren of the Conference to mourn their loss; but they have one tie less to bind their affections to earth, and one cord more to draw their souls to Heaven.

"Servant of God well done! rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the vict'ry won; enter thy Master's joy."

JNO. W. LEWIS.
J. C. HARTSELL.
J. H. CORDON.

WINSTON, N. C., Dec. 6, 1880.



On motion, it was resolved that when we adjourn we will adjourn to meet at 7 o'clock this evening. The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY.

EVENING SESSION, December 6, 1880.

Conference met at 7 o'clock, Bishop Keener in the chair, and was opened with religious service conducted by J. H. Wheeler.

The Journal of the Morning Session was read and approved.

On motion of Dr. Wilson, R. S. Webb was elected a Conference Trustee in place of I. T. Wyche.

The Committee on Sunday Schools submitted their report No. 2 which was adopted as follows:

THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS BEG LEAVE TO REPORT:—

The number of Sunday Schools within the bounds of this Conference is 743, a decrease from last year of 28. The number of officers and teachers is 4760, a decrease of 145.

The number of Scholars is 38,993, an increase of 1749. There is also an increase of 1484 volumes in libraries, and an increase in value of libraries to the amount of \$419.

It is gratifying to know from these figures that we are making some progress in this important work.

A communication from the officers of the State Executive Committee of the S. S. Association of N. C., soliciting our co-operation in the work of organizing County Sunday School Conventions, has been duly considered and the following action is recommended:

RESOLVED 1ST, That we are pleased to know that State and County Sunday School Associations, composed of Christian men from different denominations have been formed in N. C., and that we are ever willing to do what we can in bringing this important subject before the masses, believing that in so doing we are helping to build up the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ.

RESOLVED 2ND, That Rev. J. J. Renn, our S. S. Secretary reply to the Communication of the State Executive S. S. Committee, and report the action of this body

G. F. ROUND, Chairman.

The Bishop announced the following Joint Board of Finance:

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Clerical—R F Bumpass, J A Cunningham, T H Pegram, C M Pepper, B R Hall, S V Hoyle, W S Rone, G F Round, G W Ivey, F D Swindell, L L Nash, W C Gannon.

Lay—M S Davis, J S Carr, O W Carr, R R Crawford, J B Connelly, J A Claywell, E A Armfield, Geo S Cole, W J Parker, W F Kornegay, N M Lawrence, E A Thorn.

On motion of R G Barrett, M Foy was placed in the Superannuated relation.

Questions 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, were called and answered.

Resolutions were passed tendering thanks to the citizens of Winston and Salem for their generous and cordial entertainment of the Conference; also to the Moravian, Presbyterian, Baptist, Methodist Protestant and Colored Churches, for the tender and use of their pulpits; and also to the various railroads of the State for the favors shown to members and visitors.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That we respectfully tender a formal expression of the

sincere pleasure that the visit of Bishop Keener has given us; that we gratefully recognize the brotherly kindness, skill and fidelity with which he has conducted the responsible work of his office; that, as he leaves us, we assure him that in all his arduous labors our warm Christian sympathies shall attend him; and that we will ever rejoice to welcome him to our Conference and to any of our fields of labor.

N. H. D. WILSON,
A. W. MANGUM.

The Board of Missions reported as follows:

REPORT ON MISSIONS.

The following Domestic Missions were served in the bounds of the Conference for the year 1880. They are twenty in number, as follows :

Calvary Mission, on Charlotte District, has 2 local preachers; 112 white members. It reports 3 infants and 5 adults baptized; 1 Sunday School with 11 teachers, 113 pupils, and 160 volumes in the library, valued at \$40; also, 1 church, valued at \$1500. It paid \$4 to the Bishop's fund; \$25 to the P. E.; \$395 on Pastor's Salary; \$12 on Conference Collections; \$10 for Foreign and \$7 for Domestic Missions; \$62.81 for Sunday Schools; \$38.25 for building and repairing Church and Parsonage, and \$63.15 for incidentals. This Mission will hereafter be self-sustaining.

The Newberne District has—

Straits Mission that reports 1 local preacher; 210 members; 11 children and 3 adults baptized. It has 4 Sunday Schools; 15 teachers and 150 pupils; 200 volumes in libraries, worth \$25, and 2 churches worth \$800. It paid \$2 to Bishop's fund, \$14 to P. E. and \$132.50 towards the salary of its pastor.

The Swift Creek Mission, has 3 local preachers, and 170 members; 1 Sunday School with 5 teachers and 30 pupils. There are 2 churches worth \$800. There was raised on the salary of the pastor \$28 80.

There is no report from the Pamlico Mission, though \$50 were contributed for the support of that Mission by Dr. J. Bryan who is not a member of our church.

Pitt Mission has 1 local preacher; 20 members; 2 adults were baptized during the year. It has 1 church worth \$300.

Robinsonville, 6 members; 2 infants baptized, and no collections. Portsmouth, Ocracoke and Hatteras makes no report.

The Shelby District has—

Columbus Mission which reports 2 local preachers; 144 white members; 2 infants and 20 adults baptized; 2 Sunday Schools; 10 teachers and 96 pupils; 1 parsonage worth \$550; and 4 churches worth \$500. It paid to Bishop's fund \$1; to P. E. \$3; to the pastor \$153; to Conference Collection \$2, to Foreign Missions \$7.20; to Domestic Missions \$5.00; to Sunday Schools, \$4.60; and for building and repairing churches and parsonages, \$200.

Upper Broad River reports 131 members; 5 infants and 1 adult

baptized; 2 Sunday Schools; 12 teachers, and 75 pupils; 4 churches worth \$1,000. It paid \$1 to the Bishop's fund; \$5 to the P. E.; \$35 on the pastor's salary; \$1.85 for Foreign Missions; \$2 for Sunday Schools; and \$150. for building and repairing churches, &c.

Cherry Mountain has 2 local preachers; 375 members; 33 infants and 5 adults baptized; 5 Sunday Schools; 25 teachers; 200 pupils; 100 volumes in the libraries, worth \$15; and 6 churches worth \$2,000. It paid \$5 on Bishop's fund; \$5 to the P. E.; \$235 to the pastor; \$15.00 for Sunday Schools, and \$425 for building and repairs.

South Mountain has 2 local preachers; 240 members; 2 infants and 2 adults were baptized. There are 2 Sunday Schools, with 6 teachers and 90 pupils, and 3 churches worth \$100. It paid to P. E. \$1.65; to the pastor, \$29; for Sunday Schools, \$1, and for building &c., \$40.

On the Wilmington District we have—

The Coharrie Mission that reports 1 local preacher; 174 members; 3 infants and 1 adult baptized; 7 Sunday Schools; 36 teachers, and 230 pupils; and 20 volumes in the libraries, worth \$15. There were paid \$2 to the Bishop's Fund; \$2.70 to the P. E.; \$135.02 to the pastor; \$5.25 to the Conference Collection, \$2.65 to the Foreign, and \$2.65 to the Domestic Missions; \$3 to the poor; \$5 to Sunday Schools, and \$400 to building, repairs &c.

There is the New River Mission on this District that has not sent up a report for the year.

The Waccamaw Mission, on the same District, reports 1 local preacher; 283 white and 3 colored members; 2 infants and 2 adults baptized; 4 Sunday Schools, 24 teachers and 140 pupils, and 4 churches, worth \$1435.

From the Salisbury District, we have the Roaring River Mission, that reports \$50.45 collected on the pastor's salary; \$5 for Sunday Schools, and \$400 for building and other purposes.

On this District, there is the Hunting Creek Mission, reports 32 members; 3 infants and 3 adults baptized; 4 Sunday Schools, having 21 teachers and 167 pupils; also, 2 churches worth \$300.

This District has also, the Pilot Mountain Mission, that reports \$64.69 collected on the pastor's salary.

On the Fayetteville District, Lillington Mission reports 156 white members; 6 children and 4 adults baptized; and 3 churches worth \$750. It has paid \$115.16 on its pastor's salary.

Dan River Mission, on the Greensboro District, makes no report.

Hillsboro, on the Hillsboro District, reports 1 local preacher, 58 white and 1 colored member; 2 infants and 1 adult baptized; 1 Sunday School, with 6 teachers and 25 members; 800 volumes in the library, worth \$200, and 1 church worth \$3,000. It has paid \$5.50 to Bishop's Fund, \$21.92 to the P. E.; \$160.82 to the pastor for salary; \$21.50 to the Conference Collection; \$13.20 to the For-

eign, and \$11 to the Domestic Missions; \$3.50 to Sunday Schools, and \$36.75 incidental expenses.

The Districts have paid the following amounts for the year 1880, to Foreign and Domestic Missions :

	DOMESTIC.	FOREIGN.
Raleigh District.....	\$393 70.....	\$937 73
Hillsboro District.....	370 25.....	536 45
Greensboro District.....	274 95.....	450 69
Salisbury District.....	296 76.....	396 36
Shelby District.....	244 15.....	407 05
Charlotte District.....	386 37.....	571 75
Fayetteville District.....	317 90.....	448 85
Wilmington District.....	289 55.....	264 11
New Berne District.....	307 22.....	497 14
Washington District.....	368 25.....	516 43
Total.....	\$3,249 10.....	\$5,026 56

This makes \$8,275.36 collected on the Districts for the year. There was collected at the Anniversary at Winston, the sum of \$187.51 and also \$36 special for Brazil. These added, make the sum total of collections for the year 1880, with a balance in the hands of the Treasurer for the previous year of \$16 77, the amount of \$8,515.64,—an increase over the year 1879 of \$1,491.68.

WILL C. DOUB, TREASURER.

The Conference Board of Missions make the following report :

Amount assessed the Conference for 1880, by Parent Board, \$8,000.00, which has been apportioned as follows:

Raleigh District.....	\$772 00	Charlotte District.....	\$634 20
Hillsboro District.....	771 20	Fayetteville District....	771 20
Greensboro District....	684 20	Wilmington District....	661 20
Salisbury District.....	700 20	Newbern District.....	611 20
Statesville District....	601 00	Washington District....	601 20
Shelby District.....	591 20	Warrenton District.....	601 20
Total.....			\$8,000 00

We recommend that the sum of \$4,837.75 be raised next year for Domestic Missions, which the Board has apportioned as follows :

Raleigh District.....	\$430 00	Charlotte District.....	\$405 25
Hillsboro District.....	430 00	Fayetteville District....	430 25
Greensboro District....	405 25	Wilmington District....	405 25
Salisbury District.....	405 25	New Berne District.....	405 25
Statesville District....	380 50	Washington District....	380 25
Shelby District.....	380 50	Warrenton District.....	380 00
Total.....			\$4,837 75

The Board also unanimously adopted the following resolution :

Resolved, That in addition to the amounts assessed to the various charges for Domestic Missions, the Bishop be requested to direct the Presiding Elders to appoint a number of the preachers adjacent to Missionary territory, to appropriate one or more Sundays in the year in supplying the Gospel to destitute sections, either in organizing new churches, or assisting the Missionary employed by the Conference.

By order of the Board:

A. R. RAVEN,
SEC. BOARD MISSIONS.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the pastors all over our Conference take up a collection the 1st Sunday in May, or any other time most suitable, in their judgment, for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum at Oxford.

R. S. WEBB,
A. A. BOSHAMER,
T. W. SMITH.

The following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, The College of Bishops has appointed two members of this Conference, viz: Rev L S Burkhead, D D., and Bro J S Carr, a layman, as representatives of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, to the approaching Ecumenical Council of the Methodisms of the World; therefore,

Resolved, That we heartily approve of this action of our Bishops, and appreciate the compliment so worthily conferred upon the brethren appointed.

A. R. RAVEN,
H. T. HUDSON,
J. T. BAGWELL.

The preachers were requested to furnish Dr. Craven with the names of their post offices immediately, so that they may be published in the Minutes.

The Journal of the Evening Session was read and approved.

The appointments for the ensuing year were read, and the Conference adjourned *sine die*, with the benediction by the Bishop.

GENERAL MINUTES.



QUES. 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANS. John W Jones, Robert L Warlick, Wm B North, James T Kendall, Wm H Puckett, Walter T Cutchen.

QUES. 2. Who remain on trial?

ANS. Thomas A Stone, James O Guthrie, J Edwin Thompson, Colin G Little, Wm I Hull, Frank L Townsend, Francis B McCall, Wm L Cunnigim, Joseph T Arrington, Wm J Gay, Samuel P Douglas, Wm S Hales, Franklin J Hoke.

John T Finlayson, Daniel A Watkins, Theodore P Bonner and John D Arnold failed to be examined, and were continued in the first year.

QUES. 3. Who are discontinued?

ANS. S P Douglas, at his own request.

QUES. 4. Who are admitted into full conection?

ANS. Ludolphus E Thompson, Daniel L Earnhardt, James E Bristow, Matthew H Moore, John N Cole, Samuel J McLeod.

T J Browning failed to be examined, and was continued in the second year.

QUES. 5. Who are re-admitted?

ANS. None.

QUES. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

ANS. None.

QUES. 7. Who are the deacons of one year?

ANS. Nereus E Coltrane, Joseph C Rowe, Pinckney L Groom, Jas H Cordon, Wm P McCorkle, Charles M Gentry, George W Hardison, J B Carpenter, J T Lyon.

R C Beaman, A P Tyer and N S Norton were continued in the third year.

QUES. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

ANS. Ludolphus E Thompson, Daniel L Earnhardt, Matthew H Moore, John N Cole, Samuel S McLeod.

QUES. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

ANS. Ludolphus E Thompson, Daniel L Earnhardt, Matthew H Moore, John N Cole, Samuel J McLeod.

QUES. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons?

ANS. Eli Craven, P L Wray, William H Puckett, B H Hearn, Wm Lowe.

QUES. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

ANS. Eli Craven, P L Wray, Wm H Puckett, B H Hearn, J J Setliff. S C Pharr was recognized as a deacon.

QUES. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

ANS. Wm B Doub, Franklin A. Bishop, Jeremiah F Craven, Christie A Gault.

QUES. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

ANS. W B Doub, F A Bishop, J F Craven, C A Gault.

QUES. 14. What local preachers are elected elders?

I N Mann, W H Pegram, J. S Short, W F Needham, D E Field.

QUES. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders?

ANS. I N Mann, W H Pegram, D E Field, W F Needham. J N Waynick was recognized as an elder.

QUES. 16. Who are located this year?

ANS. None.

QUES. 17. Who are Supernumerary?

ANS. G Farrar, I F Kerans, T C Moses and S M Davis.

QUES. 18. Who are Superannuated?

R P Bibb, B T Blake, G E Wyche, W S Haltom, S B Dozier, John N Somers, J W Floyd, Henry Gray, W W Albea, E Howland, J C Thomas, D Culbreth, Miles Foy.

QUES. 19. What preachers have died during the year?

ANS. Ira T Wyche, W D Lee and I H Hill.

QUES. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their lives and official administration?

ANS. All passed the annual examination of character.

QUES. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several Circuits, Stations and Missions of the Conference?

ANS. Local preachers, 244; members, 67,271; increase 898.

QUES. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

ANS. 1,958. Decrease 156.

QUES. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

ANS. 2,229. Decrease 1,459.

QUES. 24. What is the number of Sunday Schools?

ANS. 743. Decrease 28.

QUES. 25. What is the number of Sunday School Teachers?

ANS. 4,760. Decrease 145.

QUES. 26. What is the number of Sunday School Scholars?

ANS. 38,993. Increase 1,749.

QUES. 27. What amount is necessary for the Superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

ANS. \$6,000.

QUES. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing amount, and how has it been applied?

Ans. Collections and from Conference Trustees.....	\$5,017.60.
Distributed to claimants, pro rata	
Assessed for Bishop.....	\$1,400.00
Collected.....	\$1,400.00
Paid to Bishop Keener.....	\$1,400.00
QUES. 29. What has been contributed for Missions?	
Ans. Foreign.....	\$5,150 25
Domestic.....	3,327 35
Total.....	\$8,477 60

QUES. 30. Where shall the next Session of the Conference be held?

Ans. At Durham, N. C.

QUES. 31. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

See appointments.

APPOINTMENTS.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.—S. D. ADAMS, P. E.

Edenton St.—A A Boshamer, J B Bobbitt.	layson.
Person St.,..... R F Bampass.	Tar River..... W H Moore.
Brooklyn and Macedonia Mission, J H Wheeler.	Youngville..... R C Beaman.
Cary..... B B Culbreth.	Louisburg..... W C Norman.
Rolesville..... L Shell.	Oxford..... L H Gibbons.
Smithfield..... M C Thomas.	Granville..... J T Gibbs.
Hanner's Creek Miss., J T Fin-	Henderson..... L J Holden.
	<i>Raleigh Christian Advocate</i> , F L Reid, W S Black.

HILLSBORO DISTRICT.—N. H. D. WILSON, P. E.

Hillsboro circuit.... J O Guthrie.	Haw River..... J B Martin.
Durham..... J A Cunningham.	Pittsboro, T J Gattis, T C Moses, Sup.
Chapel Hill, T A Stone, J F Heitman.	Deep River, W M Jordan, G Farrar, Sup.
Person..... T A Boone.	University of N C., Prof A W Mangum.
Leasburg..... R A Willis.	
Yanceyville..... V A Sharpe.	
Alamance..... John Tillett.	

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.—W. H. BOBBITT, P. E.

Greensboro..... D R Bruton.	Davidson Mission.... S A Cecil.
Guilford..... T H Edwards.	Winston..... C C Dodson.
Pleasant Garden, J B Carpenter.	Forsyth..... T H Pegram.
Franklinsville..... W S Hales.	Stokes, P L Groom, S H Helsbeck.
Randleman Station, B C Phillips.	Madison..... T S Campbell.
Randolph, C H Phillips, I F Kerans, Sup.	Dan River Mission... C W King.
Trinity..... B Craven.	Wentworth..... P L Herman.
Thomasville and H Point, J J Renn.	Pres. Trinity College, B Craven.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.—W. S. BLACK, P. E.

Salisbury.....	L W Crawford.	Albemarle, C M Pepper, W T
Salisbury ct.....	W S Creasy.	Cutchin.
Mocksville, T A Cool,	W C Wil-	Stanley.....
son.		J D Carpenter.
Davie.....	J W Randall.	Lexington Station, L E Thomp-
Concord Station..	Thos W Smith.	son.
Concord circuit, D L	Earnhardt.	Davidson.....
Mt Pleasant.....	Z Rush.	J W Lewis.
		Uwharrie.....
		R M Brown.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.—R. G. BARRETT, P. E.

Statesville Station...	B R Hall.	Caldwell.....
Statesville circuit, T L	Triplet,	H F Wiley.
N S Norton.		Lenoir circuit... To be supplied.
Mooresville.....	J T Harris.	Wilkes.....
Iredell.....	J Sanford.	E J Eudaily.
Rock Spring.....	M V Sherrill.	Roaring River Mis., J F Craven.
Newton.....	P F W Stamey.	Surry.....
Alexander..	S D Peeler.	C G Little.
		Mt. Airy.....
		N E Coltrane.
		Yadkinville.....
		J C Rowe.
		Pilot Mt Mission, James Wilson.

SHELBY DISTRICT—H. T. HUDSON, P. E.

Shelby Station.....	A R Raven.	Marion circuit... Jno W Puett.
Kings Mountain ct...	J S Ervin.	Morganton circuit, S V Hoyle, R
Double Shoal.....	J W Jones.	L Warlick.
Cherry Mountain Mission, S J	McLeod.	Happy Home.....
Rutherfordton, J C Hartsell, S M	Davis, Sup.	J W Wheeler.
Columbus Mission... F J Hoke.		South Mt Mission... A M Long.
Upper Broad River Mission, W	B Maness.	Hickory Station, C M Anderson.
		South Fork circuit... C A Gault.
		Dallas.....
		G W Callahan.
		Lincolnton.....
		J W Jenkins.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—M. L. WOOD, P. E.

Tryon St.....	J T Bagwell.	Monroe Station... P J Carraway.
Calvary Mission, J Ed Thompson.		Monroe circuit.....
Charlotte circuit, To be supplied	by W S Crowson.	J B Bailey.
Matthews.....	M H Hoyle.	Wadesboro Station, W S Rone.
Pineville.....	L E Stacy.	Wadesboro circuit... J B Alford.
Pleasant Grove, R T N Stephen-	son.	Ansonville.....
		J N Cole.
		Lilesville, O J Brent, T W Guth-
		rie.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—L. L. HENDREN, P. E.

Fayetteville.....	J R Brooks.	Pekin.....
Cumberland.....	C M Gentry.	F L Townsend.
Lumberton.....	D May.	Montgomery.....
Robeson.....	M W Boyles.	W B North.
Laurinburg.....	J W North.	Carthage.....
Rockingham Station..	H P Cole.	A P Tyer.
Rockingham circuit, P Greening.		Buckhorn, J R Scroggs, I W
Mt Gilead.....	Joseph Wheeler.	Avent.
		Lillington Mission, W S Chaffin.
		Jonesboro.....
		G F Round.
		Jonesboro High School.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—L. S. BURKHEAD, P. E.

Front St.....	E A Yates	Bladen.....	F A Bishop.
Fifth St.....	T P Ricaud.	Elizabeth circuit,	G W Hardison.
Topsail.....	W I Hull.	Whiteville.....	J J Carden.
Duplin.....	A D Betts.	Waccamaw Mission,	J Johnson.
Clinton.....	G W Ivy.	Smithville Station...	T L Hoyle.
Cokesbury.....	J C Crisp.	Brunswick.....	T J Browning.
Coharrie Mission, To be supplied.		Onslow.....	J T Kendall.

NEWBERN DISTRICT—W. M. CLOSS, P. E.

Newberne.....	F H Wood.	LaGrange.....	W P McCorkle.
Goldsboro.....	W M Robey.	Craven.....	J M Lumley.
Wayne.....	N M Jurney.	Jones.....	Wm H Puckett.
Goldsboro circuit, To be supplied by A J Finlayson.		Beaufort.....	J T Arrington.
Mt Olive, To be supplied by J R Finley.		Carteret.....	J E Bristow.
Kinston.....	F D Swindell.	Pamlico Mission, To be supplied by B Hancock.	
Snow Hill.....	W H Call.	Straits Mission....	D A Watkins.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—J. E. MANN, P. E.

Warrenton.....	W C Gannon.	Cook.	
Warren circuit....	J R Griffith.	Wilson.....	J H Guinn.
Roanoke.....	J D Buie.	Wilson circuit, W L Cunningsim.	
Weldon & Halifax, J M Rhodes.		Ridgeway.....	R S Webb.
Halifax circuit ...	W H Watkins.	Nashville.....	J T Lyon.
East Halifax, supplied by C M Edgecombe.....		R O Burton.	

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—J. S. NELSON, P. E.

Tarboro.....	J D Arnold.	Bath.....	T P Bonner.
South Edgecombe..	J H Cordon.	Plymouth Station,	M H Moore.
Williamston.....	W B Doub.	Columbia.....	B M McCall.
Robersonville Miss,	T B Reeks.	Hyde.....	M J Hunt.
Greenville.....	L L Nash.	Mattamuskect...J E Thompson.	
Pitt Mission.....	W J Gay.	Portsmouth, Ocracoke and Hatteras, To be supplied by E D Hocver.	
Swift Creek.....	N A Hooker.		
Neuse.....	J Maboney.		
Washington....	Jno N Andrews.		

J. C. KEENER, PRESIDENT.

B. CRAVEN, *Secretary.*

STATISTICS.--CONCLUDED.

WASHINGTON DIST'CT.	Local Preachers.	MEMBERS		BAPTIZ'D		SABBATH SCHOOLS.				PAR'S'G'S.		CHURCHES		
		White.	Colored.	Infants.	Adults.	Number.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Libraries.		Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.
									Volumes.	Value.				
Warrenton and Macon...	2	135	...	3	7	2	14	80	...	...	...	2	\$ 4000
Warra Circuit.....	1	569	...	1	...	7	56	268	50	25	1	7	5650	
Roanoke.....	2	303	...	8	4	3	23	240	100	15	5	5	8000	
Weldon and Halifax.	2	152	1	2	21	2	17	75	205	41	2	2	6000	
Halifax Circuit.....	3	456	...	2	10	5	25	175	...	1	1	5	4700	
East Halifax.....	1	53	...	1	3	2	10	50	100	25	3	3	3300	
Tarboro.....	1	75	...	1	1	1	16	65	307	150	1	1	4000	
Edgecombe.....	1	187	...	9	7	3	30	140	200	50	3	3	2800	
South Edgecombe.....	1	212	...	2	11	3	18	80	50	10	3	3	3000	
Williamston.....	4	255	...	7	4	3	18	80	150	20	1	5	2500	
Robinson.....	1	6	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenville.....	4	555	...	18	36	3	26	200	150	75	1	7	9050	
Washington.....	1	241	...	5	...	1	18	85	273	90	1	1	9000	
Plymouth.....	1	109	2	...	...	1	15	...	90	30	1	1	3000
Columbia.....	1	427	...	10	4	6	50	300	200	50	1	6	3000	
Bath.....	1	342	...	8	7	4	30	129	...	35	4	4	3000	
Mattamuskeet.....	1	770	1	43	32	7	50	350	200	35	1	6	16500	
Portsmouth.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals.....	20	4847	4	121	149	53	416	2317	2075	651	8	61	\$ 87500	
NEWBERN DISTRICT														
Newbern.....	1	338	...	16	1	2	33	185	600	150	1	1	7500	
Goldsboro.....	2	315	...	8	14	1	20	150	500	150	1	1	4000	
Wilson.....	1	260	...	5	13	2	20	150	250	35	2	2	7500	
Wayne.....	1	482	...	20	4	28	300	...	...	...	4	4	6000
Goldsboro Ct.....	1	72	...	2	12	120	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
Mt Olive.....	1	530	...	3	5	3	20	146	115	20	1	6	4200	
Kinston.....	2	126	...	7	1	11	95	400	100	1	1	1	5000	
Snow Hill.....	2	530	...	17	5	25	175	...	...	1	1	9	6400
Neuse.....	1	449	1	35	57	4	20	100	150	30	3	3	800	
LaGrange.....	1	341	...	6	17	6	37	240	225	75	1	5	3000	
Swift Creek.....	3	170	...	1	5	30	...	...	...	...	2	2	800
Craven.....	1	282	...	8	7	8	35	240	50	10	1	4	725	
Jones.....	1	435	...	3	27	6	39	150	200	25	5	5	3400	
Beaufort.....	1	211	...	10	2	1	28	166	275	50	1	1	2500	
Carteret.....	2	467	...	3	10	11	85	343	605	112	6	6	3500	
Pamlico.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitt Mission.....	1	20	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	300
Straits Mission.....	1	210	...	11	2	4	15	150	200	28	2	2	800	
Totals.....	22	5238	1	108	201	61	433	2740	3570	785	7	53	\$ 56425	

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Local Preachers.	MEMBERS		BAPTIZED		SABBATH SCHOOLS.				PAR'NG'S.		CHURCHES		
		White.	Colored.	Infants.	Adults.	Number.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Libraries.		Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.
									Volumes.	Value.				
Raleigh.....	18	6050	17	70	214	64	479	3803	4825	1085	8	68	86800	
Hillsboro.....	15	5960	18	93	296	60	445	3197	3842	807	6	71	62025	
Greensboro.....	36	6974	23	151	224	73	536	4902	3226	851	3	83	118500	
Salisbury.....	38	8849	30	409	448	105	632	5513	3372	720	9	99	87100	
Shelby.....	34	8165	3	286	212	82	468	4371	2452	448	7	108	55400	
Charlotte.....	18	7391	4	290	110	84	466	4638	2665	564	13	90	83725	
Fayetteville.....	28	7595	103	251	199	91	523	4595	3484	925	9	92	70850	
Wilmington.....	15	5982	17	179	176	70	362	2917	2960	660	9	71	79985	
Newberne.....	22	5238	1	108	201	61	433	2740	3570	785	7	53	56425	
Washington.....	20	4847	4	121	149	53	416	2317	2075	651	8	61	87500	
Totals.....	244	67051	220	1958	2229	743	4760	38993	32471	7496	79	796	788310	
Increase.....	...	992	...	...	...	...	1749	...	...	488	5	13	79505
Decrease.....	...	94	156	1459	28	145	...	1749	...	...	...	...	...

CORRECTION.—Greensboro Station has 328 members instead of 238, as printed in Statistics for that District. The total of that District is printed correctly.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

	BISHOP.		F. ELDER.		PASTOR.		CONFERENCE COLLECTIONS.		MISSIONS.				POOR.	S. SCHOOLS.	BUILDING & CHURCHES & PARSONAGES.	INCIDENTS.	EDUCATION.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	FOREIGN.		DOMESTIC.							
									Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.						
Raleigh, Edenton street.....	20 00	20 50	210 00	210 00	1500 00	1505 00	100 00	101 00	100 00	102 50	50 00	50 00	61 25	88 40	1320 80	32 37	122 50	135 00
Raleigh, Person street.....	5 00	5 00	75 00	61 75	700 00	577 75	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	20 00	20 00	7 30	98 90	100 00	85 03	50 00
Carry.....	12 00	15 00	85 00	72 85	750 00	612 96	40 00	70 00	45 00	53 00	30 00	47 00	20 00	20 00	25 56	65 47	7 50	
Rolesville.....	12 00	12 00	80 00	65 90	775 00	640 25	45 00	30 56	40 00	40 80	35 00	21 00	25 50	40 00	308 50	10 00	25 00	
Smithfield.....	22 00	12 00	80 00	55 60	803 00	729 43	45 00	30 00	40 00	35 00	35 00	18 00		95 00	2000 00	50 00	25 00	
Tar River.....	22 00	22 00	180 00	180 00	900 00	900 00	85 00	83 25	80 00	20 00	60 00	60 00		10 00	75 00	75 00		
Yonngville.....	5 00	5 00	40 00	28 13	415 00	291 08	20 00	11 00	15 00	11 81				13 50	350 00			
Lounsburg Station.....	11 00	11 00	75 00	65 00	650 00	650 00	45 00	45 00	35 00	35 00	25 00	25 00		10 00	51 96	50 86		
Oxford.....	15 00	15 00	110 00	97 15	900 00	794 33	60 00	55 00	65 00	55 00	35 00	25 00		16 00	50 00	25 00	10 00	
Cranville.....	11 00	11 00	85 00	82 50	750 00	730 00	50 00	22 50	40 00	35 00	30 00	30 00		2 00	14 00	473 00		
Henderson.....	13 00	13 00	115 00	115 00	900 00	900 00	55 00	55 00	55 00	55 00	35 00	35 00		30 00	39 50	1625 00	89 72	
Ridgeway.....	13 00	13 00	115 00	98 82	800 00	687 80	38 00	38 00	55 00	52 00	35 00	35 00		23 45	32 00	225 16	15 00	50 00
Nashville.....	5 00	5 00	40 00	31 44	500 00	423 35	18 00	9 00	20 00	19 00	15 00	6 90		10 00	100 00	79 00		
Wilson Circuit.....	5 00	2 25	60 00	33 21	330 00	182 76	18 00	7 80	20 00	8 60	15 00	6 45		12 00	300 00			
Totals.....	161 00	161 75	1350 00	1209 38	10670 00	9655 32	665 00	588 11	650 00	941 71	435 00	389 70		237 65	1878 31	5580 50	602 11	278 50

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

Salisbury.....	9 00	9 00	90 00	90 00	850 00	850 00	42 00	41 00	42 00	27 25	30 00	28 20		19 00	53 32	408 40	131 70		
Salisbury Ct.....	8 00	8 00	80 00	85 00	500 00	525 00	37 00	37 00	37 00	37 00	27 00	27 00		11 17	15 00	106 00	160 00		
Mooresville*.....	10 00	10 00	100 00	100 00	800 00	800 00	48 00	48 00	48 00	65 00	35 00	35 00				62 00	868 83	41 80	10 00
Statesville.....	5 00	5 00	45 00	59 10	550 00	600 00	28 00	28 00	28 00	20 00	20 00	20 00		50 92	30 00	863 00	50 00	17 50	
Statesville Ct.....	5 00	5 00	45 00	32 00	555 00	445 00	22 00	3 05	22 00	18 00	10 00								
Mocksville.....	10 00	10 00	100 00	80 00	750 00	550 00	50 00	40 00	50 00	40 00	35 00	25 90		2 30	25 00	300 00			
Davie.....	9 00	9 00	95 00	95 00	625 00	465 00	42 00	18 00	42 00	26 25	30 00	15 78		23 65	25 00	100 00	10 00		
Iredell.....	9 00	9 00	90 00	90 00	700 00	636 04	47 00	45 00	47 00	44 00	33 00	30 00							
Alexander.....	9 00	9 00	85 00	70 00	435 00	365 00	37 00	15 00	37 00	28 00	30 00	25 00							
Hunting Creek Mission.....	7 00	7 00	75 00	50 00	500 00	333 34	40 00	20 50	41 00	22 00	25 00	12 02		16 00	15 00	450 00	9 00	16 25	
Mt. Airy.....	8 00	8 00	75 00	60 00	430 00	357 86	37 00	30 00	37 00	26 50	27 00	27 00		2 35	55 00	250 00	26 00		
Surry.....	8 00	8 00	75 00	36 39	460 00	223 26	37 00	8 00	37 00	8 00	27 00	6 17							
Pilot Mt.....	6 00	6 00	70 00	50 00	200 00	180 00	20 00	10 00	32 00	11 00	30 00	19 00		2 00	8 00	25 00	27 00	4 00	
Wilkes.....	8 00	8 00	75 00	50 00	400 00	34 00	34 00	50 45											
Roaring River.....	8 00	8 00	75 00	50 00	635 00	360 00	35 00	22 00	35 00	20 00	20 00	14 00							
Lenoir Ct.....	6 00	6 00	50 00	50 00	400 00	400 00	1 50	1 50	1 36	1 36	1 30								
Caldwell.....	6 00	6 00	50 00	50 00	400 00	400 00													
Totals.....	119 00	117 50	1170 00	999 94	8514 00	7318 29	522 00	373 05	535 00	396 36	387 00	296 37		135 74	435 28	6413 23	511 50	47 75	

*In addition to the above \$200 was paid an Assistant on Mooresville Circuit.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.—Concluded.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	SALARIES.				CONFERENCE COLLECTIONS.				MISSIONS.				SCHOOLS.	POOR.	BUILDING & REPAIRING CHURCHES & PARSONAGES.	INCID T'LS.	EDUCATION.		
	BISHOP.		P. ELDER.		PASTOR.		FOREIGN.		DOMESTIC.		Ass'd.	Paid.						Ass'd.	Paid.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.									
Warrenton and Macon.....	8 00	8 00	100 00	100 00	600 00	600 00	30 00	35 00	30 00	60 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	3 50	59 08	40 00		
Warrea Circuit.....	15 00	15 10	200 00	173 00	1000 00	1000 00	70 00	53 00	70 00	52 00	40 00	30 50	40 00	30 50	41 39	100 00	131 18		
Roanoke.....	10 00	10 00	72 50	72 50	600 00	420 00	36 00	29 00	40 00	30 50	25 00	20 00	25 00	20 00	5 60	600 00	600 00		
Weldon and Halifax.....	10 00	10 00	108 33	108 33	541 66	541 66	35 00	36 71	40 00	75 00	25 00	25 25	40 00	25 25	21 25	15 82	436 29		
Halifax Circuit.....	10 00	10 00	135 00	65 00	679 17	409 00	36 00	36 00	40 00	44 00	25 00	25 00	40 00	25 00	26 00	500 00	15 00		
East Halifax.....	5 00	5 00	33 33	23 42	166 67	133 14	3 00	3 00	10 00	16 73	5 00	5 00	3 00	5 00					
Tarboro.....	8 00	8 00	80 00	80 00	800 00	800 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	25 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	26 28	42 54	1682 50		
Edgecombe.....	11 00	11 00	146 83	120 00	728 17	661 25	38 00	38 00	35 35	35 50	36 00	36 00	35 00	36 00	23 75	42 25	1610 00		
South Edgecombe.....	11 00	11 00	120 00	120 00	900 00	900 00	35 00	35 00	38 00	38 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	14 00	15 00	800 00		
Williamston.....	7 00	7 00	80 00	71 30	356 70	356 70	30 00	26 10	30 00	27 00	20 00	17 00	20 00	17 00	17 25	20 00	820 00		
Greenville.....	10 00	10 00	150 00	150 00	775 00	775 00	45 00	45 00	40 00	40 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	10 50	30 00	1651 00		
Washington.....	8 00	8 00	120 00	90 32	600 00	431 39	40 00	30 00	40 00	26 00	30 00	69 50	30 00	30 00	30 18	48 00	249 25		
Plymouth.....	7 00	7 00	80 00	80 00	400 00	200 00	30 00	11 00	30 00	10 00	25 00	8 00	10 00	8 00			500 00		
Columbia.....	8 00	8 00	80 00	72 23	520 00	469 49	36 00	12 00	30 00	10 00	18 00	6 00	10 00	10 00	20 00	100 00	100 00		
Bach.....	5 00	5 00	55 00	57 48	275 00	287 00	20 00	20 00	15 00	15 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00			400 00		
Mattamuskeet.....	12 00	12 00	190 00	174 00	750 00	871 00	60 00	60 00	50 00	39 00	40 00	40 00	40 00	40 00			400 00		
Portsmouth.....																			
Totals.....	145 00	145 10	1750 99	1557 58	9755 67	8597 51	575 00	499 81	563 50	543 73	399 00	382 25	151 71	375 08	9449 04	671 60	172 25		
NEWBERN DISTRICT.																			
Newbern.....	20 00	20 00	150 00	150 00	1000 00	1000 00	70 00	70 00	83 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	60 18	49 92	700 00		
Goldsboro.....	20 00	20 00	150 00	150 00	1000 00	1000 00	70 00	125 00	70 00	160 00	50 00	55 00	50 00	55 00	35 54	70 40	11000 00		
Wilson.....	15 00	15 00	120 00	120 00	950 00	950 00	55 00	55 00	55 00	37 00	37 00	37 00	37 00	37 00	12 00	37 98	92 12		
Wayne.....	10 00	10 00	90 00	90 00	610 00	640 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00		25 00	125 00		
Goldsboro Ct.....																			
Mt Olive.....	13 00	13 00	105 00	69 17	700 00	461 08	50 00	22 50	35 00	16 23	50 00	22 50	50 00	22 50			109 29		
Kinston.....	10 50	10 50	78 75	80 00	525 00	535 00	39 50	60 00	35 50	40 00	28 00	28 00	28 00	28 00	16 00	20 56	145 00		
Snow Hill.....	15 00	15 00	120 00	96 87	800 00	645 88	55 00	20 37	20 00	20 00	55 00	17 29	20 00	55 00			400 00		
Neuse.....	10 00	10 00	90 00	36 00	630 00	533 00	45 00	10 00	32 00	4 00	45 00	4 00	4 00	4 00					
LaGrange.....																			
Swift Creek.....																			
Craven.....	7 00	7 00	60 00	60 00	400 00	403 00	25 00	25 00	25 00	77 50	18 00	18 00	18 00	18 00			22 50		
Jones.....	6 00	6 00	57 00	57 00	323 00	329 00	22 00	22 00	22 00	16 00	16 00	16 00	16 00	16 00	8 00	9 00	5 00		
Beaufort.....	7 00	5 00	60 00	60 00	400 00	400 00	25 00	18 00	25 00	18 00	15 50	15 50	18 00	15 50	28 61	18 00	33 53		
Carteret.....	8 00	8 00	63 00	55 00	425 00	370 00	28 00	15 00	28 00	18 00	20 00	11 00	20 00	11 00			1000 00		
Pamlico.....																			
Pitt Mission.....																			
Straits Mission.....	2 00	2 00	20 00	14 00	130 00	132 50									4 00	12 00	15 00		
Totals.....	143 50	141 50	1163 75	1038 04	7893 00	7428 26	514 50	472 50	468 50	542 73	417 00	304 29	104 33	323 36	94 94	29 566 21	884 47		

LIST OF MINISTERS AND POST-OFFICES.

Adams, S. D., P. E.,	Carthage.	Coltrane, N. E.,	Mt. Airy.
Anderson, C. M.,	Hickory.	Callahan, G. W.,	Dallas.
Alford, J. B.,	Wadesboro.	Crowson, W. J.,	Charlotte.
Avent, I. W.,	Chalk Level.	Caraway P. J.,	Monroe.
Arrington, J. T.,	Beaufort.	Cole, J. N.,	Ansonville.
Arnold, J. D.,	Tarboro.	Cole, H. P.,	Rockingham.
Andrews, J. N.,		Chaffin, W. S.,	Fayetteville.
Black, W. S., P. E.,	Raleigh.	Crisp, J. C.,	Blockersville.
Barrett, R. G., P. E.,	Statesville.	Carden, J. J.,	Whiteville.
Burkhead, L. S., P. E.,	Raleigh.	Call, W. E.,	Snow Hill.
Bobbitt, W. H., P. E.,	Greensboro.	Cunninggim, W. L.,	Barnes Store.
Boshammer, A. A.,	Raleigh.	Cordon, J. H.,	Toisnot.
Bumpass, R. F.,	Raleigh.	Dodson, C. C.,	Winston.
Beaman, R. C.,	Franklinton.	Davis, S. M.,	Rutherfordton.
Boon, T. A.,	Roxboro.	Doub, W. B.,	Williamston.
Bruton, D. R.,	Greensboro.	Edwards, T. H.,	Greensboro.
Brown, R. M.,		Earnhardt, D. L.,	Concord.
Bagwell, J. T.,	Charlotte.	Eudaily, E. J.,	Wilkesboro.
Bobbitt, J. B.,	Raleigh.	Ervin, J. S.,	Kings Mountain.
Bailey, J. B.,	Monroe.	Finlayson, J. T.,	Smithfield.
Brent, O. J.,	Wadesboro.	Farrar, G.,	Ore Hill.
Brooks, J. R.,	Fayetteville.	Finlay, J. R.,	Mt Olive.
Boyles, M. W.,	Leesville.	Gibbons, L. H.,	Oxford.
Betts, A. D.,	Kenansville.	Gibbs, J. T.,	Oxford.
Bishop, F. A.,	Cypress Creek.	Guthrie, J. O.,	Hillsboro.
Browning, T. J.,	Shalotte.	Gibbons, H. H.,	Durham.
Bristow, J. E.,	Newport.	Gattis, T. J.,	Pittsboro.
Buie, J. D.,		Groom, P. L.,	Danbury.
Burton, R. O.,		Gault, C. A.,	
Bonner, T. P.,	Bath.	Guthrie, T. W.,	Rockingham.
Closs, Wm., P. E.,	Toisnot.	Gentry, C. M.,	Fayetteville.
Culbreth, B. B.,	Cary.	Greening, P.,	Rockingham.
Cunninggim, J. A.,	Durham.	Gannon, W. C.,	Warrenton.
Carpenter, J. B.,	Pleasant Garden.	Griffith, J. R.,	Warrenton.
Craven, B.,	Trinity.	Guinn, J. H.,	Wilson.
Cecil, S. A.,	Thomasville.	Gay, W. J.,	Wilson.
Campbell, T. S.,	Madison.	Holden, L. J.,	Henderson.
Crawford, L. W.,	Salisbury.	Heitman, J. F.,	Chapel Hill.
Creasy, W. S.,	Salisbury.	Hales, W. S.,	Franklinville.
Coone, T. A.,	Mocksville.	Herman, P. L.,	Reidsville.
Cutchin, W. T.,	Albemarle.	Hall, B. R.,	Statesville.
Carpenter, J. D.,	Albemarle.	Harris, J. T.,	Mooresville.
Craven, J. F.,	Trap Hill.	Hudson, H. T., P. E.,	Shelby.

LIST OF MINISTERS AND POST-OFFICES.--CONTINUED.

Hartsell, J C,	Rutherfordton.	Puett, J W,	Marion.
Hoke, F J,	Columbus.	Puckett, W H,	Trenton.
Hoyle, S V,	Morganton.	Reid, F L,	Raleigh.
Hoyle, M H,	Clear Creek.	Renn, J J,	Thomasville.
Hendren, L L, P E,	Jonesboro.	Randle, J W,	
Hull, W L,	Scott's Hill.	Rush, Z,	Mt Pleasant.
Hardison, G. W.,	Elizabethtown.	Rowe, J C,	Yadkinville.
Hoyle, T L,	Smithville.	Raven, A R,	Shelby.
Hooker, N. A.,	Kinston.	Rone, W S,	Wadesboro.
Hunt, M. J.,		Ricaud, T P,	Wilmington.
Helsabeck, S. H.,	Danbury.	Round, G F,	Jonesboro.
Ivey, G W,	Clinton.	Robey, W M,	Goldsboro.
Jordan, W M,	Ore Hill.	Rhodes, J M,	Halifax.
Jones, J W,	Happy Home.	Reeks, T B,	
Jenkins, J W,	Lincolnton.	Stone, T A,	Chapel Hill.
Johnston, J,		Sharp, V A,	Yanceyville.
Jurney, N M,	Fremont.	Smith, T W,	Concord.
Kerans, I F,	Eden.	Sanford, J,	Olin.
King, C W,		Sherrill, M N,	Denver.
Kendall, J T,	Palo Alto.	Stamey, P F W,	Newton.
Lewis, J. W.,	Thomasville.	Stacey, L E,	Pineville.
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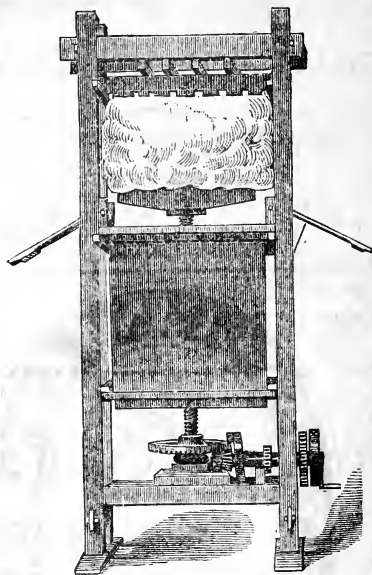
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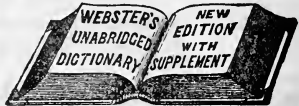
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